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37/... The human rights situation in the Syrian Arab Republic

1. Paragraph 7

Paragraph 7 *should read*

7. *Strongly condemns* all terrorist acts and violence in the Syrian Arab Republic, including those committed against civilians by the so-called Islamic State in Iraq and the Levant (Daesh), Al-Nusrah Front and other terrorist organizations designated by the Security Council, and the continued gross, systematic and widespread abuses of international human rights law and violations of international humanitarian law by terrorists, reaffirms that terrorism, including the actions of the so-called Islamic State in Iraq and the Levant (Daesh), cannot and should not be associated with any religion, nationality or civilization, stresses the importance of the full implementation of Security Council resolution 2170 (2014) of 15 August 2014, and calls upon all States not to support terrorism or terrorists in the Syrian Arab Republic;

2. Paragraph 44

After paragraph 44, insert a new paragraph *reading*

44 bis. *Expresses* its support for the final statement of the Congress of the Syrian National Dialogue of 30 January 2018 and the commitments expressed therein;

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